

The Peril

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Advertisements for insertion can be e-mailed to the above address (with a billing address provided) or left at the Amuri Community Library. Closing day and time for both is 4pm on Monday. When there is a Public Holiday on a Monday the deadline will be extended to 4pm the next day (Tuesday). Regular advertising by arrangement.

Emailed classified ads (not businesses/community groups/clubs) will need to be paid **IN ADVANCE** directly into our bank account by close of bank business on a **MONDAY (Tuesday when there is a Public Holiday)** for the ad to appear that Friday (20c per word - minimum \$2). If there is no payment received the ad **WILL NOT** appear that week, ie **NO PAYMENT, NO AD**.

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Advertising Costs: Classified and Community Ads: 20c per word (minimum of \$2)

Businesses: Full Page \$50, ½ Page \$35, ¼ Page \$25, ⅓ Page \$20, 1/16 Page \$15. If you require an ad to be designed this will incur a \$10 fee (businesses only). All GST inclusive.

Payment made at the Library is cash only – no EFTPOS.

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Please quote your name as a reference.

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COMMUNITY NOTICES

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027 448 6583 - Isaiah

Landline: 03 314 2044

Email: livingwatershurunuio outreach@gmail.com

You can also send us a private message through messenger.

Family Violence – It's Not OK – get help on 0800 456 450

Women's Refuge 0800 REFUGE (733 843)

For emergencies ring 111, North Canterbury Police 105

Lifeline 0800 543 354, **Youthline** 0800 376 633 or text HELP (4357) for free, 24/7, confidential support.

Culverden Community Swimming Pool

Thank you for your patience as we have worked through the guidelines of opening the community pool to the public this summer. There have been some guidelines to work through as the pool is on school grounds but community owned, leaving us in no man's land when it came to being open or not to the community. Thankfully this has been resolved and now we can say that the Culverden pool is open!

Keys for the swimming pool will be available for purchase from the Amuri Community Library from Monday 30th November. Prices are the same as last year: - please be aware the keys can be paid for in **CASH ONLY**.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Key Prices

Family/Household \$80

Single \$60

Short term/Grandparent (2 weeks) \$20

Key Bond \$15

Key sales keep the pool open to the community so please purchase a key if you are a regular user of the pool. A casual swimmer will be able to enter the pool if there are key holders there. We request a gold coin donation per casual swimmer who accompanies a key holder when you enter the pool. Again without these small donations, the swim club struggles to stay afloat financially. Please respect our newly painted pool and be responsible pool users. A list of paid key holders will be displayed in the shed window.

Library Opening Hours

Monday 29th November to Friday 17th December (School term hours) -10am - 4pm

Wednesday 5th January – holiday hours resume – 11am – 2pm

Please message the Culverden Amateur Swim Club Facebook page if you're not able to get to the library during those hours and an alternative arrangement may be made.

Key Amnesty

Please have a look and return any past season keys you have laying around as we have lots of keys outstanding! Their return would be appreciated.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Covid-19 Regulations

The pool is on school property and therefore we must adhere to the Covid-19 guidelines. When entering the pool complex you comply by the following to ensure the pool remains open to the public over the summer.

1. Scan in using the track and trace Covid-19 QR codes situated by the honesty box, by the bleachers or in the changing rooms.
2. Maintain a distance of 1m when in the pool complex.
3. Ensure there are no more than 50 people within the pool complex at any one time.

Stay away from the pool if you, or any close family members, are unwell.

Amuri Area School and the Culverden Amateur Swim Club reserve the right to close the pool immediately if there is a change in our Covid protection framework system. (Traffic light moves to Red). We also reserve the right to close the pool if the guidelines are not being adhered to for public safety.

Swim Club

Bob Thompson (supported by his mum Alex) has kindly offered his skill and expertise to run swim club this season. Bob will be running a session on a Wednesday from 3.30-4.30pm. This is for length swimmers only. Swimmers must be able to swim a minimum of four lengths. Swim Club is available to swimmers whose family are key holders and will start Wednesday the 1st December. Please email hurunuihabgood@amuri.net with Swim Club in the subject line, to register your interest.

We are awaiting a decision from Hurunui Swimming to see if carnivals can go ahead.
Happy and safe swimming everyone!

The Culverden Amateur Swim Club Committee

COMMUNITY NOTICES

CALLING ALL DIRECTORS, THOSE WITH IDEAS FOR PRODUCTION 2022, AND THOSE WHO ARE INTERESTED IN BEING PART OF BRINGING THE JOY OF THE THEATRE TO LOCALS!! 😊😊

The Amuri Players General Meeting will be held on Wednesday 15th December at 7.30pm in the Hanmer Library. Feedback and reports will be received about 'Mirror' and then ideas for Production 2022 will be received. Bring your idea, fully fleshed out or just as a suggestion. All are welcome.

LESLIE HILLS-AMURI GARDEN CLUB will 'Celebrate Christmas' on Monday 13th December at Christine Creans, 8 Montrose Avenue, Culverden at 11.30 am. Please bring a plate of finger food for a shared lunch. Contact Lynda Wright - 315 6304



It is with hope that we can celebrate with our family and friends during the festive time, despite this year being dominated by the Covid-19 pandemic.

This year, again, has proven to be a challenge with the inability to host many events within our District that help us to celebrate our culture and heritage.

I feel fortunate to work with a team of very dedicated councillors and staff who work to achieve the best outcomes for our District. I particularly want to acknowledge the huge array of volunteers – your generosity is appreciated.

Dave and I would like to wish you all a very merry Christmas and trust that 2022 will bring you all good health and prosperity.

May you experience peace and joy throughout this Christmas season.

Mayor Marie Black



SANTA IS COMING TO TOWN



**SANTA WILL BE VISITING THE STREETS OF CULVERDEN
SUNDAY 19th DECEMBER, 10.00am approx..**

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COMMUNITY NOTICES

AMURI COMMUNITY VEHICLE



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Phone/text: 027 299 3263 or email amurivehicletrust@gmail.com

Alternatively, details can be left on our booking form at Culverden Library, Waiau Hardware and Amuri Health Centre.

RATES FOR TRANSPORT SERVICE:

Rotherham to Waiau	\$5
Rotherham to Culverden	\$5
Rotherham to Mt Lyford	\$10
Waiau to Mt Lyford	\$8
Waiau to Culverden	\$8
Amberley	\$30
Rangiora	\$40
Christchurch	\$50
Discounted rates for more than 1 person.	



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Amuri Community Website
www.amuri.org.nz

CHURCH NOTICES

Amuri Co-Operating Parish

Church times and Services for 2021:

December 12th 10:00am Advent - 3rd Sunday: @ St Mary's, Rotherham. Guest speaker Bruce Morriss from Christian Blind Mission NZ.

December 19th 7:00pm Christmas Carols, on the lawn @ St Mary's, Rotherham. Our competition this year will be for the most decorative Christmas mask. BYO fold away chairs or a rug to sit on.

December 24th 8:00pm Christmas Eve: St Mary's, Rotherham - Holy Communion

December 25th 8:30am Christmas Day: St Mary's, Rotherham - Holy Communion. 9:30am St Andrew's Hall, Culverden

December 26th First Sunday after Christmas 6:30pm for devotions, song and pot luck gathering @ the Vicarage, 1 Stock Road, Culverden

Church Services and the Traffic Light system:

As with every community-facing group, the Amuri Cooperating Parish (ACP) has had to rethink how to organise worship services in the light of mandatory vaccination for church ministers and changing rules around community gatherings.

While COVID has minimal presence in Canterbury, we will continue using best health practices by, signing in with the QR code, recommending the use of masks during services, observing social distancing apart from people in your bubble, and staying away if feeling unwell. After the Government's announcements on December 3rd, the Parish Council has chosen to operate in a similar way, without requiring evidence of vaccination passes. We anticipate that this will be the case for worship on December 5th, but we will evaluate week by week for subsequent services.

Once COVID is uncontained in Canterbury, we will still gather to worship and pray but only at St Mary's, Rotherham. Our seating arrangements will change and, when possible, we will gather outside. Please note that the Carol Service will be outside.

If COVID becomes uncontained in Amuri, we will make use of technology and on-line worship again for a time. However it seems this virus is here to stay in one form or other and so we will aim to live our lives as normally as possible but take as many precautions as we can to keep everyone safe.

Please contact the Reverend Dawn Baldwin if you have queries or concerns. 03 315 8210.

CHURCH NOTICES

CATHOLIC PARISH of the GOOD SHEPHERD

Visit www.catholicchuruni.nz for more information or ring 03 319 8730. View Mass timetable online and guidelines for Masses under traffic light system.

Saturday 11th December:

6:30pm Mass at Culverden, open to all, with restrictions under traffic light system.

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Public holidays & weekends
(GP on Call)

Phone our practice anytime, day or night for assistance.

The after-hours phone is connected to and answered by an afterhours registered nurse, who will assess your needs, offer advice, or arrange immediate assistance from the on-call doctor or rural nurse. (The triage nurse may take a few minutes to answer.)

Prescriptions

In the run up to Christmas, please remember to check when your medications will be next due and organise your appointment with the GP in plenty of time.

If your medication/s will run out over the holiday period, you may not be able to get the prescriptions sorted when they are needed as the pharmacy will have reduced delivery around the public holidays at Christmas and the New Year so, please remember to allow for this to avoid disappointment.

Podiatry Clinics

Podiatry is available at Amuri Community Health Centre.

These clinics are for all your Podiatry needs and care, offered by Andrew Hawkey of Pace Podiatry. Regular clinics are held here at the Health Centre, phone Andrew on 027 2209 395 to arrange an appointment with him here at the Health Centre.

Pay on the Day Policy & Account Fee

Just a reminder that we have a pay on the day policy. We understand that occasionally there are exceptional circumstances that may prevent this, in which case payment can be made within the week at the Health Centre or through online banking. If your account is not paid by the end of the month a \$5 fee will be added to your account

Personnel Availability:

Sarah Ballam:

December: 9, 10, 15-17, 22-24, 29-31

January: 6, 7, 13, 14

Dr Victor Buckwalter:

December: 8, 9, 13-16, 20-23, 29, 30

January: 5, 6, 10-13, 17-20, 24-26, 28, 31

Practice Nurses:

Monday – Friday each week

District Nurses Availability:

Monday, Wednesday & Friday each week.

Please note the Health Centre will be closed:

Christmas Holiday
Monday 27th December 2021

Boxing Day Holiday Tuesday
28th December 2021

New Year's Holiday
Monday 3rd January 2022

New Year's Holiday
Tuesday 4th January 2022

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I know it has been an extremely challenging year for everyone and your continued support is greatly appreciated.

I wish you and your families a safe and happy festive season and I am looking forward to assisting you all again in 2022.

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